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SUBJECT: LIBYAN OIL NEGOTIATIONS

1. OCCIDENTAL AND BUNKER HUNT MET WITH QABLAWI LIBYAN UNDERSEC OF PETMIN AT NOON, SUNDAY, JANUARY 24. QABLAWI REPEATED PRINCIPAL LIBYAN DEMANDS INCLUDING SHORT HAUL PREMIUM BUT DID NOT MENTION POSSIBLE RETROACTIVE SUEZ PREMIUM. COMPANIES REITERATED INTENTION NEGOTIATE COLLECTIVELY IN OPEC CONTEXT. QABLAWI TOLD COMPANIES HE WOULD TELL JALLUD WHO MIGHT WISH TO SEE COMPANIES "IN A FEW DAYS."

2. EMBASSY TRIPOLI COMMENTS "WE HAVE PASSED SUNDAY NOON DEADLINE BUT NOT CLEAR FOR HOW LONG."

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